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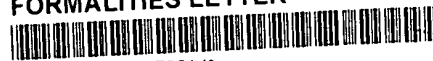
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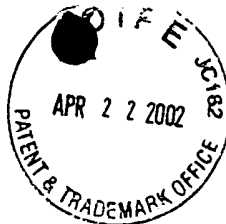
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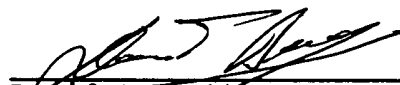
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In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed April 3, 2002, enclosed please find the fully executed declaration which was missing when the application was first filed on February 25, 2002 and the required copy of Notice. Please charge the fee of \$130.00 to Deposit Account No. 14-1400.

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